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I. O. O. F.

RENO LODGE NO. 19, INDEPENDENT Order of Odd Fellows, meet at Odd Fellows' Hall, over the Congregational Church, every Thursday evening. A punctual attendance of members is requested. All visiting members in good standing are cordially invited to attend. J. S. GILSON, N. G. J. B. WILLIAMS, Secretary. 1-24f

I. O. G. T.

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P. of H.

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K. of P.

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The Rough House of Hamburg.

A Singular Reformatory Institution in Prussia.

The "Rough House of Hamburg" is an institution which our philanthropists would do well to study. Forty years ago Hamburg was renowned for being the wickedest city in the world. "Its vice was more open, its materialism grosser and its religion more of a sham." The only hope of religion was among the younger classes of criminals. A few spasmodic efforts were made to teach and refine them, but all in vain, while at length even these were given up, and respectable Hamburg folded its hands and wondered at the wickedness of its neighbors. Then a certain Immanuel Wichern, firm of purpose, and believing in the old maxim, "Desperate courage makes one majority," put his hand to the enterprise—his heart in the work—and carried it through. The enterprise, like the famous Refuge of Fritz Miller, has never asked for State or individual aid, and has always been amply supported. In October, 1832, Immanuel Wichern and his mother opened the doors of a small cottage, known as "Das Rauhe Haus," announced their purpose, and waited. At the end of a week three boys had come; at the end of two months there were twelve, all that the house could hold. Their ages varied from 5 to 15, and they were uniformly steeped in crime. Such a band of prematurely developed rascals was probably never collected together before. Wichern was a sentimentalist, and the only rule was love. There was no restraint; the inmates came and went at will. A high wall which surrounded the grounds was removed, in order that there should not be even the semblance of forcible control. At the end of a year the first twelve boys were reformed. Applications for admission poured in, and the twelve built themselves a new house, and gave up the old one to the new-comers. Then a house was built for girls. The day it was finished it was filled—and filled with the vilest of the vile. The boys had given trouble enough, but the girls were by far more wicked and unmanageable. But Wichern's sentimentalism conquered here, too. From that time to this, the Rough House of Hamburg has pressed on in its triumphant career. It now consists of thirty-eight separate houses, owns 400 acres of land, and educates yearly more than 1,100 boys and girls. Of its 43,000 graduates, not more than five per cent. have fallen. It has given rise to more than 800 similar reformatories in Prussia. Of these, that of Berlin, founded in 1858, is the largest, and keeps busy, merely in the work of superintendence, forty-eight men. The order of the "Knights of St. John," of which we heard so much during the Franco-German war, was founded at Rough house of Hamburg, and now controls all the kindred institutions in the country. Immanuel Wichern is still at the head of affairs. It might be worth our while to try the effect of such a scheme here, instead of making our so-called reform schools training schools for crime; and, instead of discharging from our prisons, year after year, men more wicked than when they entered within their walls. Our present system of restraining crime is far from a success, and we may go further and fare worse that we should by adopting forthwith the plan of the Rough House of Hamburg.

DRESSING FOR DINNER.—In England all persons who regard themselves in any way allied to the upper ten thousand, dress for dinner, and, even if they dine early, they do not feel comfortable unless they have gone through this form. This habit is essentially English, as it exists in no other part of the civilized world. Elsewhere, people dress for dinner, but not for a dinner. In Paris, if a lady has been to a dinner party, or if she is going later in the evening to a party, she is dressed when she appears at the theatre, and the same rule holds good with men. But otherwise neither ladies nor gentlemen are dressed in evening attire when they visit a theatre. Before going, they usually make up a party to dine at some neighboring restaurant, and from the restaurant they adjourn to the theatre. In Germany ladies and gentlemen dress even less than in France. Dinner is usually at five o'clock, and the theatre is over at nine o'clock. In Italy there is more dress than in Germany, for the opera replaces the theatre, and after the opera most ladies go to what they term a secunda sera—that is to say, a late reception. But neither Italian men nor Italian women ever think of dressing to dine at home en famille.

ABOUT THERMOMETERS.—Observer Healy, of the U. S. Signal Service, furnishes the *Silver State* with the following relative to thermometers:

A great many persons regularly observe the readings of the thermometer, especially in mid-summer and during the Winter season; but very few know whether their instruments are reliable. For the purpose of verification, fill a vessel with snow, immerse the bulb of the thermometer in the middle of it, so as to be surrounded on every side by a layer of several inches of snow, slightly pressed around the instrument. The stem must be placed exactly perpendicular and covered with snow as far up as the freezing point on the scale. Let it stand so for half an hour or more, and then read it, taking great care to place the eye at the same height as the summit of the mercurial column. If the top of the column coincides with the freezing point of the scale, the instrument is correct; if not, the necessary correction should be applied to the readings. If snow cannot be had pounded ice may be used.

Fred Hart has gone below to get the Austin *Reveille* bound.

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At the Old Stand, on Virginia Street.

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ANNUAL MEETING.

NORTH TRUCKEE DITCH CO.—Notice is hereby given that in accordance with the by-laws of said company the annual meeting of stockholders will be held in North Glendale District, at the school house, on

Saturday, Jan. 12th, 1878.

Election of officers and other important business will come before the meeting. By order of the Board of Trustees. 12-25 E. C. GOOCH, President.

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Rare Bargains!

M. NATHAN,

The Popular Clothier of Reno

OFFERS his complete stock of

Fall and Winter Goods,

At LESS than San Francisco Prices.

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Fine Dress & Business Suits AND OVERCOATS,

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And everything kept in a first class store.

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AND

Horse Shoeing.

W. J. LUKE,

HAVING COMPLETED HIS LARGE stone Blacksmith Shop,

Corner Sierra and Fourth Streets.

Is now prepared to do every variety of work under the head of Blacksmithing, Wagon Making or general jobbing.

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PLAZA STREET, NEAR SIERRA, RENO.

J. D. SHAW, Proprietor.

Board & Lodging per week, \$7.

" " " " day, \$1.

Single Meals, 25 Cents.

Lodging, 25 and 50 Cents.

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WITH THE HOUSE.

THIS HOTEL HAS BEEN THOROUGHLY overhauled and all its apartments put in excellent order for the accommodation of guests. A share of public patronage is respectfully solicited. J. D. SHAW.

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300 ACRES UNDER IMPROVEMENT; the remainder in good pasture.

The whole is well watered, and is either adapted to grain raising or dairy purposes and stock raising. This is a rare chance for parties wishing to purchase.

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PROVISIONS,

—AND—

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—AND—

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3-27f

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33 Acres unimproved land, with water right, one mile east of the Court House. Government title.

43 Acres unimproved land on the river, adjoining the State Prison grounds. Railroad title—perfect.

Lots 5, 6, 7, 8, in block A, with dwelling.

Lots 1 and 2, in block 5, Western Addition; lots each 100x240 feet.

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Lots on the corner of Fourth and Chestnut streets; 240x400.

North half of lot 12 in block U, with dwelling.

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Corner Sierra and Second Streets, Reno.

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We also have attached a Large Hay Yard, with good stables. Also corrals for loose stock, well watered.

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Repairing Neatly Done.

Shoeing a Specialty!

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Mr. Chas. Bock,

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PROPOSES TO ORGANIZE A CLASS

of young men for the purpose of giving instruction in brass band music.

Mr. Bock has been very successful as a music teacher, and guarantees to make good players on brass instruments in a few months' time.

He will also furnish music for balls and parties.

Apply, for particulars, at Wintermantel's Hotel Center street. CHAS. BOCK.

11-19f

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All the Attractions of a First Class Hotel are supplied.

All the Passenger Trains Stop in front of the Hotel.

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Where passengers from the cars and all others desiring a "square meal," can get OYSTERS in EVERY STYLE, CLAMS, CRABS, PIGS' FEET, COLD MEATS, HOT COFFEE and TEA, and other delicacies.

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Largely stocked the present season with everything in the

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FRUIT TREES,

ALL KINDS.

Flowering Trees and Plants,

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Send for Catalogues, Free.

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DEALER IN

Wines, Liquors and Cigars.

OF THE BEST BRANDS.

By the Wholesale or Retail.

A large supply of the celebrated Milwaukee Beer always on hand.

Give me a call.

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GRANITE SALOON AND

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Commercial Row, Reno, Nevada.

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Boca and Sacramento Beer,

KEPT IN ICE.

Fine Lunches prepared, of Swiss, French, and other delicacies.

The finest brands of

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Wholesale and Retail.

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DEALERS IN

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DRY GOODS,

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Commercial Row, between Virginia and Sierra streets, Reno.

ARE NOW OPENING A NEW AND SELECTED stock of the above mentioned articles, which we purchased at the very lowest rates, and are determined to give our patrons the benefit thereof. Being established here so long it is almost useless to mention that what we say we mean and do. We don't puff and blow, nor never compromised with our credit, yet we still live and let live.

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A complete assortment of

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Always on hand and sold at prices which guarantee satisfaction.

Goods delivered to any part of the city free.

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ATTORNEYS AT LAW.

Schurz Speaks.

Secretary Schurz, in an article in the *Westliche Post*, in reference to the future policy of the Administration, says some things which intelligent men, who are not afflicted with political bias, will appreciate:

The people have very largely emancipated themselves from party trammels. Why this has been done is obvious. On one side the mischievous and shameless spoils-hunting politicians, absolutely supreme in the control of both parties, have deeply shocked all respectable citizens and they justly refuse longer to follow such leaders. On the other side party lines have been so much obliterated that there are so few leading principles at issue that the voter hardly knows which party really represents what he has most at heart. At such time, to say that the President of the whole country must have a party behind him, is extremely ridiculous. The tasks are reconciliation, civil service reform, regulation of the finances by resumption, emancipation of trade from high tariff and economical administration of the Government. These tasks have been set by the Republican party in all its platforms and by the platform of the Democracy. Hence Republicans who oppose this programme oppose their own party and not the Administration. Thus many Republicans are civil service reformers, but they are also advocates of the silver dollar. Others are in favor of protection, but friends of the South. Others are for resumption, but opposed to conciliation and civil service reform. There is such confusion of views, such want of a definite policy, such disintegration into antagonistic groups that the Administration could not possibly accomplish its mission if it were to consult only one party. It is wonderful that shrewd, clever men like Conkling, Blaine, and that ilk, could not have had their eyes opened by the election since 1872. Without the Liberal wing they would have been so badly beaten last year that no vestige of them would have been left. The poison is still working, so that not only Pennsylvania and California, but even Ohio was lost last October, and yet we see these men boldly and impudently demand that the President shall repel the Liberal element and surrender to them unconstitutionally. In doing its work it will be the cue of the Administration to gather gradually from the best elements a party on which it can lean. But those who talk now so haughtily and unreasonably, will then be blasted forever by the displeasure of the people. They will have had their reward."

There is no uncertain tone in the above language, nor does it indicate that the Administration stands on untenable ground. The President and his Cabinet are in a position to resist any and all assaults of Conkling, Blaine, et al. It is treason to administer a Republican government principally for party interests. Each party holds that its theory of government is the better theory, and which ever party gets into power attempts to administer the Government for all, in the main, in accordance with the leading principles of that party. But to overlook the rights of the minority is opposed to every principle upon which our Government is founded, and is treason. "He serves his party best who serves his country best."

The *Enterprise* says we are half in favor of the extra session. The *Enterprise* is half mistaken. We don't favor any irregular session of any body for the purpose of defending a policy determined in Regular session. We don't believe the men who say taxes must be reduced because the compromise failed, because we heard the same men say that taxes should not be reduced unless the compromise won. We do not believe that there is any immediate prospect of an enormous accumulation at the State Capitol. We do not half believe that the people will pay \$80,000 in extra session for the use of twice that sum for a year. In fact, there is no half to our opinion upon the subject.

It is getting rather conspicuous, this opposition to the Silver Bill. The ranks arrayed against the friends of remonetization are indeed an illustrious crowd with their bankers, brokers, insurance agents, insurers, bond-holders, and corporations. Swindlers of the past, parasites of the present, and defaulters of future times are all to be found there, and we dislike very much to hear them say that "the people's good is their only aim." That assertion arising from them has an ancient and fish like appearance, which leads us to call it "scaly."

The *Journal* now learns that it does not want an extra session, and we shall have any in consequence. The exhibit made by Controller Hobart was entirely sophistical, and offered no advantages to Washoe County in any direction. The proposition of County Auditor Williams for preventing the locking up of money by taking certificates of County indebtedness is all-sufficient to prevent an extra session, were one necessary, but there has been nothing shown yet which warrants the calling of an extra session even of Hobart's friends, much less of the Nevada Legislature. There is also no good reason except those found in Carson for impoverishing every special fund, and defeating the motives for which they were set apart. If "our very efficient Controller" Mr. Hobart, makes a few more exhibits, any extra session of his political opponents will be rendered entirely unnecessary.

The editor of the North San Juan, (Cal.), *Times* urges delinquents to come forward and make good their last year's subscriptions, either in coin or its equivalent. In enumerating the articles which he will receive in payment, Stidger says: "We will take wood, hay, potatoes, cabbage, beans, eggs, chickens, turkeys—in fact almost anything except fat babies."

California Prospects.

The farmers hail every rain cloud with public rejoicing.

Land along the Kern Island Canal raised corn enough this year with irrigation to pay for itself.

Colusa county wants a free bridge across the Sacramento at Colusa.

Thistles are becoming a nuisance in Colusa county. We know what will blight that festive plant. John donkeys. They eat 'em.

San Francisco reports 912 deaths from diphtheria during 1877. The disease still rages.

Every small town in California wants to be incorporated and a wholesale division of counties also spoken of.

The Legislature of California is again in session, and the State papers all take occasion to say its hard work will now begin. They also promise that "it can make for itself a bright record." But the certainty that no illumination will take place is painfully apparent.

The Visalia (Tulare) *Times* reports fearful slaughter of live stock on Buena Vista Slough. A gentleman who traveled 24 miles was scarcely out of sight of dead carcasses. One man, who had 24,000 head of cattle, said he would think himself fortunate if 8,000 lived through the winter.

Ducks, geese, pigeons and other pests have entered into competition with the farmer.

Squirrels have commenced to lunch on the southern counties and the papers want the Legislature to kill them off.

The late "cold snap" extended over the entire State, bracing winds prevailed, thermometers took the down grade and icicles were at a discount. Ice cutting commenced at Prosser Creek and skating was indulged in where ice was hardly known before.

PLANTING TREES.—The *Silver State* thus speaks of the growing appreciation for fruit and shade trees in Nevada: M. W. Hitchcock, agent for the Arlington Nurseries at Reno, has returned from Paradise Valley, where he has been very successful in getting orders for trees, plants etc. He informs us that he disposed of one thousand shade and fruit trees to S. B. P. Pierce and six hundred to C. W. Hinkey, besides a great many smaller lots to other farmers. He leaves for points up the railroad in the morning.

The Lyon County *Times* entered upon its eighth volume yesterday morning. Frank Kenyon issues a good paper, and it is well worthy the success which has attended it.

The very nicest Christmas present is a fine Weber Piano. They can be had by calling at C. J. Brookins & Co.'s Music and Variety Store, on Virginia Street, Reno, Nevada. 12-17tf

The finest lot of chromos ever brought to Reno is now on exhibition at Chas. Knust's. 8-16tf

Meals at all hours at the Saddle Rock, Commercial Row, Reno Nevada.

SEWING MACHINES REPAIRED.—Mr. J. B. Hopworth, at Sanders & Neal's furniture store, is prepared to repair sewing machines and perform all other work in that line on every kind of machine. All work warranted. 11-18tf

NEW BARBER SHOP.—Joe Lopez can be found on the corner of Commercial Row and Virginia Street, where good work in the tonsorial line is guaranteed. He invites all his friends to call. 12-31f

TRIUMPH OF GERMAN GENIUS.—A Berlin correspondent writes: "Two Princesses of the royal family are to be married this Winter—one the daughter of the Crown Prince, and one the daughter of Prince Frederick Carl. It is also proposed to celebrate both marriages at the same time by a double ceremony. Now, the etiquette of the Court here, and the customs of the house of Hohenzollern, prescribe for the marriage of a Prince or Princess many stringent and some grotesque rule. One which is stringent, though not grotesque, provides that the 'Brautnacht,' the first night of the wedded pair, shall be passed in a certain chamber, the 'brautkammer,' of the old castle. But a double wedding in the royal family was without a precedent, and therefore creates some embarrassment. Two bridal pairs and but one bridal chamber! How to reconcile these two factors long puzzled the lackeys, the chamberlains, and perhaps his Majesty himself. At last the problem has been solved. A morning paper relates it with a display of innocent and undisguised pride in German genius. It has, in fact, been decided to accept the happy suggestion of some *amicus curiae*, and have a second bridal chamber prepared for the second bridal pair. In this event one sees the triumphs of which Geist is capable."

Leaf's Yeast Cakes are more than 3 times cheaper than Yeast Powder.

PUBLIC INSTALLATION AND GRAND BALL,

—GIVEN BY—
Washoe Lodge No. 18,
I. O. O. F.,
AT MARKER'S HALL, WASHOE,
January 17th, 1878.

COMMITTEE OF ARRANGEMENTS:
Nat Holmes, Geo Smith,
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P N Marker.
FLOOR MANAGERS:
Wm Foote, H P Love.
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Geo Smith.

The Best of Music will be in Attendance.

TICKETS, including supper, \$3 50
1-8td

HUFFAKER'S, JAN. 18, 1878

GRAND Country Dance

—AND—
SUPPER!

PROCEEDS TO BE DEVOTED TO THE erection of a SCHOOL HOUSE in Huffaker's district.

Committee of Arrangements:
Tom Norcross, W. F. Everett, M. C. Lake.
Tickets, including supper, \$5.
FREE Transportation from and back to Reno. All are invited. 1-8td

ASSESSMENT NOTICE.

JONES & KINKEAD GOLD AND SILVER Mining Company. Location of principal place of business, Reno, Nevada. Location of works, Pyramid Mining District, Washoe county, Nevada. Notice is hereby given, that at a meeting of the Board of Trustees, held on the 8th day of January, 1878, an assessment (No. 5) of two cents per share was levied upon the capital stock of the corporation, payable immediately in U. S. gold coin, to the Secretary, at the Reno Savings Bank. Any stock upon which this assessment shall remain unpaid Feb. 7th, 1878, shall be declared delinquent and advertised for sale at public auction, and unless payment is made before will be sold on Thursday, March 7th, 1878, to pay the delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of the sale. By order of the Board of Trustees. L. C. BATCHELDER, Secretary. Reno, Jan. 8th, 1878.

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Christmas, 1877.

New Years, 1878.

HAVING DEFERRED OUR PURCHASES

of Fall and Winter goods till late in the season, we were enabled to take advantage of the dullness in the market, and have laid in the LARGEST AND BEST SELECTED

Stock of Goods

WHICH WE EVER BROUGHT TO RENO.

These goods, offered to the

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Extraordinarily Low Prices,

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Dress Goods,

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Flannels,

Sheeting,

Table Linen,

Napkins,

Towels,

Nottingham Lace,

and Wall Paper.

ALSO A FULL LINE OF

Ladies' and Children's Underwear.

And a large variety of

FANCY GOODS

Suitable for the Holidays.

The Ladies of Reno and vicinity will do well to call upon me before making their purchases.

12-19tf J. PRESCOTT.

OSBURN & SHOEMAKER,

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IN PRICES, some of which are as follows:

PATENT MEDICINES,

Heretofore sold for one dollar.

We Will Sell for 75 Cents.

Soothi g Syrup for 25 Cents.

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Cashmere Boquet Soap, 5 Cakes for \$1 00.

Other Toilet Soaps for 12 1-2 Cents.

Creme De Lis for 50 Cents.

Murray & Lanman's Florida Water for 50 Cents.

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THE PRICES OF

All Toilet and Fancy Articles.

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Which is highly recommended by all those who have used it, for making poultry healthy and active, and for Laying Hens.

Winter as well as Summer.

1-4tf

CAUTION NOTICE.

THE PUBLIC are hereby cautioned against purchasing the following certificates of stock in the Jones & Kinkead Mining Company, the same having been sold this day to pay delinquent assessment on account of assessment No. 4, levied November 8th, 1877:

Names.	No. Cert.	Shares:	Am't:
J J Becker.....	12	5000	\$100 00
J J Becker.....	13	5000	100 00
J J Becker.....	14	500	10 00
J J Becker.....	15	500	10 00
J J Becker.....	16	500	10 00
J J Becker.....	17	500	10 00
J J Becker.....	18	500	10 00
J J Becker.....	19	500	10 00
J J Becker.....	20	387	7 74
E W Caulk.....	43	300	4 00
E W Caulk.....	61	100	2 00
E W Caulk.....	64	100	2 00
T W Longley.....	97	100	2 00
L C Savage.....	134	250	5 00
J L McFarlin.....	139	1000	20 00
C T Bender.....	134	100	2 00
S M Roberts.....	134	500	10 00
O Chandler.....	161	500	10 00

By order of the Board of Trustees.
L. C. BATCHELDER, Secretary.
Reno, Jan. 4th, 1878.

X. X. X.

KANE & TALLMAN,

MANUFACTURERS OF A. J. KANE'S

improved

X. X. X. Bleaching Soap.

Challenge the State to produce a soap bearing any comparison to it in quality. It is warranted to do A No. 1 Washing

WITHOUT RUBBING.

Or injury to the finest fabrics. (If the directions which accompany each bar are strictly followed), or money refunded.

Factory near Iron bridge, Reno. 12-26

New Grocery Store.

ALL KINDS OF

Groceries,

Fruits,

Vegetables,

Tobacco,

Cigars.

I BUY AND SELL FOR CASH, AND CAN therefore sell everything in my line at reduced prices.

Store on Commercial Row, next door to Reno Market, Reno, Nevada.

4-27tf H. N. RIGGEN, Prop.

HOLIDAY GOODS

EVER BROUGHT TO RENO.

ENABLES ME

TO

Suit ANY Customer.

BOTH IN PRICE AND QUALITY.

PLATED JEWELRY

—KEEP IN SHOW CASES—

REPAIRING A SPECIALTY.

Commercial Row, Reno.

1-18tf

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IMPORTED AND DOMESTIC.

Cor Commercial Row & Virginia Street

10-9 1f

From this Day on, until further notice, we shall dispose of Our **ENTIRE STOCK OF GOODS,** COMPRISING A LARGE AND FASHIONABLE ASSORTMENT OF DRESS GOODS, A SPLENDID DISPLAY OF FANCY GOODS, CLOTHING, FURNISHING GOODS, CARPETS & WALL PAPER. At 25 Per Cent. Below San Francisco Prices! **BARNETT BROS.,** Corner Commercial Row and Virginia Street, Reno. 12-10tf

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BRANCH WHITE HOUSE,

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HAVE JUST UNPACKED

A LARGE STOCK

OF THE

FINEST

AND

Most Fashionable

MEN'S AND BOYS'

CLOTHING,

AND

GENTS' FURNISHING GOODS

EVER OFFERED

In this City or on the Coast.

A FULL LINE OF

ENGLISH BELFAST ULSTERS.

Chinchilla,

Beaver, and

Diagonal

OVERCOATS,

AND BUSINESS SUITS.

Medicated and Shrunken

FLANNEL UNDERWEAR,

All Sizes and Colors.

Genuine Juvvin Kid Gloves.

DERBY RIBBED AND SCOTCH

WOOL UNDERWEAR.

Boys and Children's Gar-

ments and Overcoats.

THE MOST FASHIONABLE HATS

IN THE CITY.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

Proceedings of the Board of County Commissioners.

The Board met yesterday and transacted the following business:

BILLS ALLOWED.]	
Orvis Ring, salary.....	\$137 50
Wm. Cain, salary.....	250 00
J. S. Sellers, work.....	31 50
H. Ward, undertaking.....	17 00
Manning & Duck, supplies.....	10 50
C. C. Powning, printing.....	225 00
J. Sunderland, supplies.....	12 50
Sanders & Co., chairs.....	20 00
J. B. Williams, salary.....	50 00
H. Stephens, road work.....	32 00
R. V. Borden, repairs.....	10 00
E. A. Bates, road work.....	68 00
C. A. Bragg & Co., lumber.....	8 06
J. H. Harcourt, Justice fees.....	9 00
A. K. Lamb, Sheriff's fees.....	168 50
C. A. Richardson, Justice fees.....	86 75
J. V. Lewis, Sheriff's fees.....	45 50
N. C. Haslund, fees.....	28 55
J. B. Williams, fees.....	106 75
J. H. Harcourt, fees.....	7 25
A. Evans, rebate on taxes.....	21 12
J. R. Dixon, rebate on taxes.....	2 23
A. Vesey, board prisoners.....	136 00
H. W. Barlow, fees.....	91 40
S. Myers, repairs.....	56 50
Manning & Duck, supplies.....	12 75
Osborn & Shoemaker, drugs.....	8 25
M. Gillis, painting.....	10 50
A. Stephens, road work.....	170 00
W. M. Carriker, road work.....	125 00
S. Beemer, road work.....	63 00
C. A. Bragg & Co., lumber.....	7 04
Reno Lumber Co., lumber.....	16 85
J. C. Hagerman, supplies.....	21 99

County Treasurer, Court House bonds and interest. 2780 00
County Treasurer, expenses. 147 50
County Treas., bridge bonds. 1800 00
B. B. Norton, Co. Treas., sal'y. 300 00

Ordered that \$1000 be transferred from the Poor Farm Fund to the Building Fund. Also that \$200 from the Poor Farm Fund to be transferred to the Bridge Fund.

Quarterly report of Justice Richardson received and placed on file.

Reports of Justice R. Power of Washoe and Constable Barlow, laid over, not having fully complied with the statute.

Report of Dist. Atty. Cain, received and placed on file.

Petition of H. H. Beck, in reference to certain Road Funds not granted.

The Glendale bridge was declared unsafe, and proper notices ordered published.

Report of J. B. Williams, County Auditor, accepted and filed.

County Printing ordered done by J. F. Alexander, proprietor Reno Evening Gazette.

NOT GUILTY.—Yesterday as we stated the case of the State vs. M. Lippman was on trial in the District Court. A jury was obtained without difficulty and the case proceeded to trial with L. J. Carlson as prosecuting witness. R. H. Lindsay prosecuted the case for Carlson, and District Attorney Cain on the part of the State. Early in the case, Mr. Lindsay retired from the prosecution stating that he did not want to be a persecutor as well as prosecutor, and was convinced that the State had no case. The case was, however, continued by Attorney Cain, and after argument, was handed to the jury. That body, after being out twenty minutes, returned a verdict of "Not Guilty," and the defendant was immediately discharged.

STOCK REPORT.—Mr. Frank Bell, Superintendent of the Western Union Telegraph Company, and a man of considerable influence withal, kindly informs us that unless we quit copying stock quotations from the bulletin boards hung out for public information, he will stop every stock report in town. We hope that Mr. Bell will not take it into his head to stop the sunlight or make us wear goggles, as that is about the only way of regulating this matter to his satisfaction. Whenever the bankers inform us that we cannot copy their stock report, we shall desist, but at present it is none of Mr. Bell's affair. Whenever there is anything of importance going on in the stock market, we shall know it and publish as heretofore.

The Lyceum Meeting this evening at the District Court room will very probably be largely attended. Questions of unusual interest come up for discussion. Viz.: Shall the army be raised to 50,000 men, and that the policy of President Hayes be indorsed. We believe there is also a question on the finances of this county, to be reported on by the committee on Ways and Means. We may look for a most interesting report from Mr. J. B. Williams. Lady visitors as well as gentlemen not members of the Club are always welcome.

NEW GRADING PROCESS.—Messrs. Updike & Clark have done some excellent grading in the new house of Mr. Isaacs, on Chestnut street. The beauty of the work at once commands one's eye, but the process claims your attention. These gentlemen have a patent process which is ingenious, effective, and does better grading and at less expense than by the old method of grading by hand. The process is as follows: When they wish to grain a door it is twice painted with ordinary lead paint and allowed to dry thoroughly. They next take a board of mahogany, rosewood, walnut or some other hard wood which has a desirable grain, plane the board and cover it with a preparation to raise its grain. A leather is then drawn over the leaded surface and most of the preparation removed. Then they roll over this smooth surface a patent roller, the circumference of which consists of a gum coating made of oil, sugar, etc. They at once remove the roller and run it over the surface of the door, and a perfect facsimile of the hard wood is left upon the door. The impression is perfect and therefore necessarily excels hand grading. The door is now varnished and presents every appearance of being either the genuine wood or of having been well veneered. Mr. Updike says if, after two years, the doors, etc. are again varnished, the grading appears as fresh as when first put on.

WEEK OF PRAYER.—This is the week of prayer for all Protestant denominations the world over. The church, State, sick and well are duly remembered in prayer. God is asked to be merciful to His people, to sinners and to mankind. The Methodist, Baptist and Congregationalist, are the denominations which are observing this week of prayer. Service was held last night at the Baptist Church, to-night the same is continued at the Congregational Church, to-morrow night at the Methodist Church and then around the circle again. Next Sunday all the ministers preach on Christian life—let your light so shine etc. Those extra seasons of religious zeal are productive of excellent results if followed up by consistent action. A relapse, however, and the last state of that man is worse than the first. Christianity, as taught, is a matter of faith, but we like that every day walk of the disciple James: "Show me thy faith without thy works, and I will show thee my faith by my works."

PUBLIC INSTALLATION AND GRAND BALL.—Washoe Lodge No. 8, I. O. O. F. will hold public installation services in Marker's Hall, Washoe Jan. 17th, 1878. The exercises will be followed by a grand ball, to which all friends are invited. The tickets including supper, are placed at the modest sum of \$3 50. A glance at the committee of arrangements will guarantee the hearty and comfortable welcome of every visitor, and we hope that our people will turn out and help their Washoe neighbors to enjoy the occasion.

Last night's train from Virginia City brought down 219 bars of bullion. Of this amount 123 bars were from the Con. Virginia mine, and 88 from the California. Total value \$851,765 47. From December 11 to date California has shipped \$1,537,720 50. Con. Virginia, from December 17 to date, \$1,459,815 04.

During the past quarter Justice Richardson has received as fees from his office, \$602 75. Not a bad office—beats the newspaper business. Constable Barlow took in, during the same time, \$258 70—sufficient for one who is not proud to keep body and soul together.

Con. Virginia and California yesterday declared their regular dividends of \$2 per share each. Con. Virginia pays on the 14th and California on the 15th.

Hoole & Co., purchasing drugs and medicines at first hands, are enabled to sell drugs and standard patent medicines at lower rates than ever, and commence the new year with unparalleled reductions, offering patent medicines heretofore sold for one dollar, at 75 cents; Murray & Langman's Florida Water at 50 cents; Colgate & Co.'s Toilet Soap, 50 cents per box, and other goods at equally low prices. Prescriptions carefully compounded, day or night, by a scientific chemist, a graduate of the College of Pharmacy, London, of a large and practical experience, having resided ten years in Virginia City. Prescriptions sold at lower prices than ever offered in Reno. 1-717

REMOVAL.—Yankee Dodge has removed to the store, formerly occupied by Messrs. Brown & Hargreaves, where he will be pleased to see his friends and patrons. He will keep constantly on hand a general assortment of Yankee notions and fancy goods, and sell them cheaper than any other house in Reno. We will have an auction sale every Saturday evening. Be sure and give us a call before purchasing elsewhere. Don't forget the place, opposite the Reno Opera House, Virginia street. 1-717

A GRAND OLD TIME.—And now comes W. F. Everett and Tom Norcross to make the following proposition: The farmers of Huffaker's and vicinity are in want of another schoolhouse in Huffaker's District, and propose the following characteristic Washoe county method of obtaining it: The farmers will provide a dancing hall ample for the accommodation of eighteen sets, and their good wives will prepare a supper which cannot be equalled outside of Washoe county. Besides this the guests will be transported from and back to Reno free of charge, and the best music to be had in the county will be secured. These various items of expense will be undertaken by the farmers and every cent taken will go directly into the building fund. Now, this is certainly a good proposition, every arrangement will be made for having a grand old time, and if you think that Tom Norcross, J. C. Smith, W. F. Everett, A. M. Lamb and that lot don't know how to entertain their guests, you had better change your mind. The dance will be given on Friday, Jan. 18th, and tickets are placed at \$5 00 for the round trip. These ranchers have always helped Reno, let's help their schoolhouse.

CONCERT MEETING.—All those who are willing to help the Methodist get up an old folks concert will meet this evening at the Methodist church. The church is in need of coin just now, and resorts to this pleasant way of obtaining it. We remember that the concert last year was a grand success, and gave complete satisfaction. We therefore hail the presentation of another of those jolly old folks concerts.

The Episcopalians intend making their church comfortable during Winter and to pay off a small indebtedness. To this end a number of persons met this afternoon at the church and canvassed the financial question. We shall look to the near future for favorable results.

Those who are afraid the young people will have some fun by skating on the ice above the dam, are engaged to-day in removing this ice for shipment to market. We hear of threats being made that if the business continues a little Vulcan powder, etc. will be called into service.

The Knights of Pythias have on tap a Domino party. We saw 75 costumes yesterday and think we shall come out as the "Girl of the Period." What will you take?

The funeral services of Mrs. Godfrey and Mrs. Jose, held respectively at the Catholic and Methodist churches, to-day, were largely attended.

A grand skate will be held, (D. V.), next Sunday on Washoe Lake. A special train will run from Virginia City to the lake.

The excitement laid out for next week is a revival siege at the Methodist Church. Reno has the material.

The weather has moderated, and a western wind is blowing. This is indicative of rain or snow. If the Clerk pleases, send us the snow.

These cold mornings and evenings a pair of those lined kid gloves sold by Cohn & Isaacs is just what you want.

Jack Foulks, Constable of Verdi is in town.

It appears that even should the war blockade upon the Southern Russian ports be lifted by speedy peace, there would not be much wheat set free for the English market. The London Farmer says that advices from Russia state that, according to the latest reports, the grain crop has turned out to be by no means so good as was originally anticipated. In quality it has suffered much from the heavy August rains, and the quantity has fallen short of that expected in consequence of the extreme scarcity of labor. The latter evil is but the common result when a nation is involved in war.

The National Gold Medal was awarded to Bradley & Rulofson for the best Photographs in the United States, and the Vienna Medal for the best in the world. 429 Montgomery Street, San Francisco. 11-2317

PIANOS TUNED.—George Wedekind, for several years regular at Steinway & Son's, New York, and also for years in the service of M. Gray, of San Francisco, as tuner, will be in Reno on or about December 7th. All parties desiring his services should leave orders with C. J. Brookins & Co., Virginia street, without delay. 11-2317

FRANK'S CHOP HOUSE.—Mr. Frank Rhodes, one of the best cooks on the coast, keeps a first class chop house on the east side of Virginia street. Frank cannot be excelled in getting up ordered meals. House kept open night and day. East side of Virginia street, Reno. 12-317

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

Depot Hotel.

D W Earl, W M Havenor, San Francisco; D C Wheeler, City; J O Masel, Jas Gould, P Myers, Virginia; P J Blaine, Pioche; J McClain, M C Gardner, N W Hart, Carson; J P Foulks and wife, Verdi; D Allen, Wadsworth; Miss Clinton, Sacramento; C H Sanford, Huffakers; Frank Owen, Belmont; B Donahue, New York; W F Stewart, Tuscarora; C Biglow, Eureka; Frank Kenyon, Bodie, Cal.

International Hotel.

J L Crow, Peter Parish, B S Crow, Beckwith; Mrs N H Rude, Iowa; A J Barnett, Texas; Jas Cunningham, San Francisco; W B King, Lake City; Andrew Vance, H O Haskell, Reno; C B Bryor, Virginia; R Bidie, Eureka; J E McCormac, Winnemucca.

Pollard House.

W D Edwards, Meadows; Jno Cronin, Washoe; D H Jones, Eureka; W P Smith and wife, Brown's Station; James McEntosh, Virginia; B Jennings, San Jose.

Western Hotel.

M S Norton, White Pine; G K Birden, Eureka; S T Therman, Chicago; E McDonna, M O Hallahan, P Maloy, Ireland; George Ingalls, Canada; K T Emerson, San Francisco.

To-day's Stock Report.

MORNING BOARD.

420 Ophir, 54 5/8 @ 10	815 Mexican, 15 3/4 15 3/4
265 G & C, 9 1/2 9 1/2	265 B & B, 20 3/4 20 3/4
395 California, 29 1/4 29 1/4 b5	660 Savage, 11 3/4 11 3/4
1835 Con. Virginia, 26 26 1/2	35 Chollar, 36 36 1/2
350 H & N, 9 1/2 9 1/2	540 Crown Point, 6 3/4 6 3/4
140 Jacket, 10 1/2 10 1/2	1755 Imperial Con, 95
10 Alpha, 13 1/4	310 Belcher, 5 1/2 5 1/2
475 S Nevada, 5 1/4 4 60	875 Bullion, 6 6 3/4
1230 Exchequer, 4 40 4 45	240 Overman, 22 3/4 22 3/4
2935 Justice, 12 12 1/2 s5	185 Union Con, 6 3/4 7
705 Julia, 2 1 95	130 Woodville, 1
300 Kossuth, 20c	400 Leviathan, 40c
100 N Y Con, 75	4680 Alta, 28 1/4 27 1/4 27 1/2
4595 S Hill, 4 1/4 4 30 4 75	

We will present any lady with a fine Silk Dress who will prove to us that our X. X. Bleaching Soap fails to do good washing without the use of the washboard. When directions are strictly complied with. KANE & TALLMAN. 12-317

For that grand old Winter drink, Tom and Jerry, go to Amos Alt's saloon, east side of Virginia Street, in Cooke's building. Brewster is always ready to serve this delicious potato to the thirsty. 12-317

SERVANT GIRL WANTED.—Must be a good cook and understand general housework. Apply to [11-38] BARNETT BROS.

C. J. Brookins & Co. have pianos and organs for sale or to rent. Terms reasonable. 11 517

JUST RECEIVED FROM THE EAST.—C. J. Brookins & Co., Virginia street, have just received from the East a most extensive and varied assortment of goods for the Holidays, to which they invite the attention of the public. Owing to the circumscribed limits of their establishment on Virginia street, they have been compelled to erect a large and commodious storehouse for the accommodation of their immense stock, which consists in part of the following articles: Dolls, the largest assortment in the country, and including the celebrated French patent, and embracing the smallest as well as the largest sizes; toys of every description, albums, vases, mugs, china cups and saucers, all the new games, children's tea sets, boys' tool chests, bird cages, opera glasses, papererie—ranging in price from 25 cts. to \$4 per box—the largest and cheapest assortment of brackets and wall pockets ever brought to Reno, writing desks, toilet soaps and perfumeries, large stock of cutlery, flags, balloons, accordeons, harmonics, violins, guitars, the new musical instrument called the "celithern," stereoscopes and stereoscopic views—a large and fine assortment—charms, pistols, tobacco cases and pouches, drums, miniature engines, machine shops and kitchen picture frames, music books and sheet music, playing cards, stationery, blank books, memorandums, pistols, pocket knives, etc. They have on hand a fine stock of candies, and have also engaged the services of Mr. Robert Caleb, an experienced confectioner from the East, who will remain with them during the Holidays. The usual large stock of tobacco, cigars and smokers' articles on hand. Pianos for sale or rent. All wishing to make Christmas or New Year's presents, should give this firm a call. 12-1017

Baked trout for breakfast at the Saddle Rock. 11-2

\$777 is not easily earned in these times, but it can be made in three months by any one of either sex, in any part of the country who is willing to work steadily at the employment that we furnish. \$40 per week in your own town. You need not be away from home over night. You can give your whole time to the work, or only your spare moments. We have agents who are making over \$20 per day. All who engage at once can make money fast. At the present time money cannot be made so easily and rapidly at any other business. It costs nothing to try the business. Terms and Order free. Address at once, H. HALL, 10 Co., Portland, Maine. 8-717

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C. A. BRAGG & CO.,
HAVE MADE ESPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS in the interest of their patrons and all persons desiring to build. They therefore offer their large stock of

Common Lumber, Sierra Valley

Sugar Pine, Red Wood, Oregon Pine, Shingles,

Laths, Fire Wood,

Doors, Windows, Sash, Etc.

AT GREATLY REDUCED RATES.

Lumber Furnished by the C. A. Bragg & Co.

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Our prices are made in the interests of consumers. Call and examine them.

C. A. BRAGG & CO.,

Reno, Sept. 11, 1877-17

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THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING BEEN engaged in the Wood Business for years, represents that he has improved and perfected his facilities for cutting and transporting large quantities of wood to his

YARD AT BRONCO.

Wood of Every Size & Quality, Offered to Consumers

AT THE LOWEST RATES BY THE CAR LOAD.

Address: A. M. Wickes, Bronco, California.

STAR MARKET.

GEO. SCHAEFFER, Proprietor.

Sierra Street, near Third.

I KEEP constantly on hand a large supply of choice

Beef, Veal, Mutton, Pork,

Sausage, Etc.

Which will be sold at the lowest market rates. Particular pains taken to please customers. Give me a call. GEO. SCHAEFFER. [2-3417]

RENO EXCHANGE.

Commercial Row.

WHITE & BLOCK, Proprietors.

WE HAVE THOROUGHLY RENOVATED and made many repairs and additions to our saloon, and are now prepared to serve the public with fine

Wines,

Liquors,

and Cigars.

Connected with our saloon is a PARLOR ROOM. Entrance from rear of saloon, and also directly from the main room. 8-317

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

NEVADA STATE AGRICULTURAL, Mining and Mechanical Society.—Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders in the Nevada State Agricultural, Mining and Mechanical Society, will be held in Reno, at the Court House,

Friday, January 25th, 1878.

At 1 o'clock P. M. The election of officers for the ensuing year will come before the meeting, and a good representation of members is desired. By order.

C. G. BATTERMAN, President. [1-717]

Jas. H. Borland, Secretary.

Centennial Restaurant.

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Meals gotten up according to order. Special accommodations for families.

21 Meal Tickets, 65c.

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Upright Piano—Iron Frame,

And warranted to stand any climate. Admitted the best Foreign Piano brought to this market.

STANDARD & ESTEY ORGANS,

Unequalled for purity of tone and finished workmanship. Any of these sold at Reasonable Prices or on the Installment Plan.

VIOLINS,

VIOLAS,

BASS VIOLS.

DOUBLE BASSES.

Guitars, Banjos,

Accordeons,

Tambourines,

Piccolos,

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J. C. HAGERMAN,

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George's Godfish,

Hams and Bacon,

Maple Syrup,

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Also a full line of

Hardware and Crockery, Wines and

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MASONIC BUILDING,

Corner Commercial Row and Sierra street.

Reno, Nevada. 11-117

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MESSES. LONKRY & SMITH, HAVING purchased the interest of Messrs. Hamlin, Mescham & Co., in the above named concern, are now offering

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF

LUMBER.

Mining and Bridge Timbers,

Shingles, Common and Finishing Lumber, Matched Flooring,

Celling, Bevel Edge Siding, Rustic Siding, Fancy Pickets,

Doors, Blinds, Sash, Moulding.

Salt-Water Drinkers.

A foreign medical journal prints the following account of salt-water drinkers, taken from an account of a voyage to the Oceanic Islands by Mr. Jouan, a ship's captain, and sent by him to a medical man at Caen. These remarkable people are met with on the madrepore atolls of the Pacific, such as the Paumotu Islands, where there are neither brooks nor springs, and where the wells which have been dug yield only brackish water. The vegetation is limited to a few coconut trees, of which the milk, with seawater, constitutes the only drink of the natives. It is a question how men can live when constantly using a liquid of which all bathers, who have performed swiftness a few drops, know the disagreeable qualities. Is it an effect of habit, or a natural indisposition, or characteristic of race? It is inexplicable; the fact is affirmed by the majority of navigators who have visited those distant shores. Cook and Laperouse both mention it, and more recently Dupit Thouars has described the inhabitants of Easter Island as truly amphibious, drinking sea-water without feeling any inconvenience from it. Mr. Jouan concludes his observations on the drinking of sea-water by a fact which he asserts to have been seen at the beginning of his sea-faring career, in 1838, while going to Mexico. At that time, steam navigation had not yet freed ships from the influences of calms and head winds. There was no distilling apparatus, so that in long voyages it was necessary to be careful with the water, and in his ship, with the number on board nearly doubled by some troops they had to convey, and the prospect of not finding any water on the way, since they were only going to blockade the coast without communicating with the shore, they were parsimonious in its use. Some sailors, consequently began to drink sea-water, but were obliged to leave it off. One man only persevered until the ship reached Mexico, when it was revictualled with fresh water, brought at a great expense from Havana. This man never complained of the sea-water; the only difference remarked in him was that he became more and more yellow.

A CHICKEN SLAYER KILLED.—Saturday night as E. K. Wiley was about to close up, his attention was attracted to the chicken house in the rear of his saloon, in which there was an unusual commotion. This he attributed to a game chicken, and was about to retire when his dog charged on the chicken house, and showed by his barking and antics that some "varmint" was inside. Mr. Wiley procured his revolver, opened the hen house and discovered a large badger. He shot the animal four times and then turned the dog loose at it. A fierce contest ensued in which the dog was victorious. The badger had killed several chickens in the vicinity, among others sixteen belonging to Mrs. N. Enos, last Friday night.—Silver State.

The Women's Rights National Convention was held in Washington City to-day, and a goodly number of the fair strong-minded are already at the Capital. Their object is to secure the passage of a sixteenth amendment to the Constitution, conferring the right of suffrage upon women.

Stripped from its verbiage, the argument of the lawyers who are striving to break Commodore Vanderbilt's will seems to be, that his passion for accumulating property was so "enlarged that it dwarfed every other moral sentiment and every intellectual power."

Hamburg Butler is in favor of resumption of specie payment January 1st, 1879, because he holds that it will benefit the South. By-the-by, this fellow Butler don't pan out so bad after all.

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JNO. S. BOWKER, Secretary.

Reno, Nov. 15, 1877.

At a meeting of the Board of Trustees held on Thursday, December 6th, 1877, the above sale was postponed until Tuesday, January 8th, 1878, at the same hour and place.

JNO. S. BOWKER, Secretary.

Reno, Dec. 7th, 1877.

SUMMONS.

IN THE DISTRICT COURT OF THE State of Nevada, in and for the county of Washoe.—The State of Nevada sends to E. B. Hancock greeting: You are hereby required to appear in an action commenced against you as defendant by J. S. Shoemaker as plaintiff in the District Court of the Second Judicial District, in and for the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, and answer the complaint therein within ten days after the service on you of this summons, (exclusive of the day of service). If served in said county, or twenty days if served out of said county, but within said District, and in all other cases forty days; or judgment by default will be taken against you according to the prayer of said complaint. The said action is brought to recover the possession of all these certain parcels of land situate in the county of Washoe, State of Nevada, known and described as lots 7 and 8 in block 9 of Evans' North Addition to the town of Reno, county and State aforesaid, together with the building and appurtenances thereon, of which he alleges he was owner and entitled to the possession on the 11th day of November, 1876, and of which you ousted him and ever since withheld his damage, in thus withholding, in the sum of \$300, and also to recover the rents and profits thereon in the sum of \$300, and which will more fully appear from the complaint which is on file in the office of the Clerk of said Court at Reno, in said county. And you are further notified that if you fail to appear and answer said complaint, the said plaintiff will apply to the Court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

In testimony whereof, I, P. B. Comstock, stock, have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of said court, this 24th day of January, A. D. 1878.

JNO. S. BOWKER, Clerk.

Thos. E. Haydon, Attorney for Plaintiff.

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DELINQUENT NOTICE.

ORR WATER DITCH COMPANY.—Location of principal place of business, Reno, Nevada. Location of works, Washoe county, Nevada. Notice.—There is delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment No. 6, levied November 7th, 1877, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names No. Cert. Shares Amt.

Geo B Hill.....13 1 20 00

D W Bryant.....43 2 50 00

N C Haslund.....44 3 60 00

And in accordance with law and an order of the Board of Directors made on the 7th day of November, 1877, so many shares of each parcel of such stock as may be necessary will be sold at public auction, at the office of the company, West Street, Reno, Nevada, on Tuesday, January 8th, 1878, to pay the said delinquent assessment, together with costs of advertising and expenses of sale.

ROBT. A. FRAZIER, Secretary.

Reno, Dec. 12th, 1877.

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Boca, California.

DELINQUENT NOTICE.

BUCKEYE GOLD AND SILVER MINING COMPANY. Location of principal place of business, Reno, Nevada. Location of works, Pyramid Lake Mining District, Washoe county, Nevada.

Notice.—There are delinquent upon the following described stock, on account of assessment No. 5, levied October 11th, 1877, the several amounts set opposite the names of the respective shareholders, as follows:

Names No. Cert. Shares Amt.

E Palmer.....4 250 7 50

H Palmer.....4 250 7 50

F C Dickinson.....81 200 3 00

E Palmer.....40 100 3 00

E Palmer.....41 200 3 00

G W Hepperly.....45 100 3 00

G W Hepperly.....46 100 3 00

L C Savage.....47 100 3 00

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50 Cent. Lot.

One Gent's Watch Chain, retail price.....\$1 00

One pair engraved sleeve buttons, retail price.....75

One pair Engraved Engagement Ring.....75

One Stone-set Scarf Pin, retail price.....75

One set (3) spiral Shirt Studs.....75

One Improved shape Collar Button, retail price.....75

One Heavy Plain Wedding Ring, retail price.....1 35

Total.....\$5 00

For 50 cents we will send above six articles postpaid.

\$1 00 Lot.

One pair Sleeve Buttons, stone setting.....1 50

One set (3) spiral Shirt Studs.....1 50

One pair Amethyst or Onyx Sleeve Buttons.....1 50

One set (2) Engraved Bracelets.....1 50

One Ladies' Long Guard or Neck Chain.....1 50

One Engraved Miniature Locket, for the above sample.....1 50

One Ladies' Heavy Link Brace Chain.....1 50

One Ladies' Neck Chain and Charm.....1 50